

**BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF:

**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE
*CARLSBAD ENERGY CENTER PROJECT***

DOCKET No. 07-AFC-6

COMMITTEE SCHEDULING ORDER

On October 31, 2007, the Application for Certification (AFC) was deemed data adequate for the twelve-month review process prescribed in Public Resources Code section 25540.6. The Committee conducted a public informational hearing on December 17, 2007, to discuss the schedule and other issues of concern. The attached Committee Schedule is based upon Staff's proposed schedule and related discussion at the informational hearing.

The Committee Schedule contains a list of events that must occur to complete the certification process in twelve months. Dates are provided for the period leading up to the Prehearing Conference, during which the balance of the schedule will be set.

Several milestones are dependent upon reviews to be conducted by federal, state, and local agencies, as well as the timely provision of additional information by the Applicant. A key agency review is the San Diego Air Pollution Control District's Determination of Compliance.

We may modify the schedule at any time upon either our own motion or that of a party. [Cal. Code of Regs., tit. 20, § 1709.7(c)]. The schedule includes conditional status reports to determine whether case development is progressing satisfactorily, and to bring potential schedule delays or other relevant matters to our attention.

Dated January 2, 2008, at Sacramento, California.

_____/S/
JAMES D. BOYD
Vice Chair and Presiding Member
Carlsbad AFC Committee

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JOHN L. GEESMAN
Commissioner and Associate Member
Carlsbad AFC Committee

COMMITTEE SCHEDULE
FOR THE
CARLSBAD ENERGY CENTER PROJECT
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DATE	EVENT
October 31, 2007	AFC data adequate
December 17, 2007	Site Visit and Informational Hearing
December 21, 2007	Applicant files responses to Staff data requests
Early January, 2008	Staff conducts data response/issue resolution workshop
February 28, 2008	Local, State and Federal Agency draft determinations, including air district's Preliminary Determination of Compliance (PDOC) filed
April 4, 2008	Staff files Preliminary Staff Assessment (PSA)
April 11, 2008	(If PSA not yet filed) Parties file Status Reports
Mid-late April, 2008	Staff conducts PSA workshop
April 28, 2008	Local, State and Federal Agency final determinations, including air district's Final DOC filed
May 30, 2008	Staff files Final Staff Assessment (FSA)
June 6, 2008	(If FSA not yet filed) Parties file Status Reports
Late June, 2008	Prehearing Conference
Tbd	Evidentiary Hearings
Tbd	Presiding Member's Proposed Decision (PMPD) issued for 30 day comment period
Tbd (near the end of PMPD comment period)	PMPD comment hearing
Tbd	Revised PMPD issued* for 15 day review period*
Tbd	Energy Commission Decision adoption hearing

Tbd = to be determined
* if necessary